

KISKIMINETAS TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
Regular Meeting Minutes  
September 9, 2026  
7 pm

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

All members present. Also in attendance—Twp Manager- James Murray, Solicitor- Ryan Fritz, Officer in Charge- Sgt Chris Tessmer

APPROVAL OF MINUTES (Motion)

Motion to approve-Supervisor Tardivo  
Second- Supervisor Long  
Unanimous approval

TREASURERS REPORT

Motion to approve- Supervisor Hilliard  
Second- Supervisor Birch  
Unanimous approval

PAYABLE VOUCHER LIST

Motion to approve- Supervisor Long  
Second- Supervisor Birch  
Unanimous approval

TOWNSHIP SOLICITOR FRITZ –

No report given

TOWNSHIP ENGINEER LENHART:

Murray for Lenhart

LSSE continues to provide Road Boad inspection on behalf of the Township

Followed up on stormwater plan concerns for 710 Sawyer Lane. Will perform a post construction compliance check

Reiterated Eastern Gas' use of Martin Rd Bridge and exceedance of weight restriction, will cover with steel plates

PUBLIC COMMENT: (Comments for Agenda Items Only. All comments limited to 3 minutes)

No public comment

CORRESPONDENCE:

Twp Manager Murray communicated notifications from PennDOT regarding a superload transportation route that will be coming through the township from between September 19 -October 19

CNX submitted driveway permit applications for future well and water storage sites off of Ross Rd that are currently undergoing permit review by the DEP

NEW BUSINESS:

CDBG Resolution

Mr. Murray announced the presence of Allie Pence from Armstrong County who was in attendance for the resolution. Resolution is required to be passed for the Township's Application for CDBG funds for a Township-Wide Housing Rehabilitation Project

Motion to approve-Supervisor

Second-Long

Unanimous approval

Approval to Sell Township Equipment on Municibid

Township is looking to sell one F550 and one Massey Ferguson Tractor on Municibid. Quotes were for trade in values to use as reserve prices for the sale. The F550 would be set at a reserve price of \$29,000 and the Massey Ferguson would be set at \$9,000

Supervisor Ross expressed concern with selling the F550 before the Township receives the recently purchased truck that is due to be delivered in August. Supervisor Birch agreed and suggested that the Township only approve the sale of the Massey Ferguson for the time being.

Supervisor Hilliard made a motion to approve the sale of the Massey Ferguson on Municibid with a reserve price set at \$9,000

Second-Supervisor Long

Unanimous approval

REPORTS:

Public Works Department, Fire Department, Police Department, Codes

Twp Manager Murray gave the Public Works report on behalf of PW employee Ron Baker

Finished Clarks Hollow Dirt Road project, have received check for grant reimbursement

Chip sealing was completed by Russel Standard

Anti-Skid for winter maintenance is currently being delivered

Bed is being put on the recently purchased F550 and is expected to be delivered in November

Multiple 911 call outs occurred for severe weather response

Supervisor Birch gave the Fire Department Report.

Updated the township on upcoming events at the Fire Hall

Sgt Tessmer gave the police report

Gave information about the past months police responses and a breakdown of calls by general location. Report also included the nature of the calls

Twp Manager gave the Codes Report

The report included the number of new, open, and closed code enforcement cases as well as the number of zoning permit reviews that were performed by the Code Enforcement officer.

PUBLIC DISCUSSION: Comments on Agenda or Non Agenda accepted and limited to 3 minutes.

Jeff Hammond of Stoney Lonesome Rd gave public comment regarding the condition of Black Hollow and Stoney Lonesome Rd which he uses to get to and from his residence. He reported conversations he had with the Township Manager regarding the condition of the road which indicated an need for a few touch ups, but that the roads were in an acceptable condition according to PennDOT representatives. He indicated that he had discussions with several supervisors and presented them with pictures that he believes contradict that opinion. He demanded that the ditches along the road be cleaned and threatened legal action if they were not. Gave notification of the Right to Know request that he submitted to the Township via Certified mail that was signed for by the Township Manager.

#### SUPERVISOR COMMENTS

Announcement-Canceling of September 23 Meeting

Reminder for Fall Clean-up Days September 25-26

Supervisor Tardivo asked if tires will be accepted at the clean up event, Twp Manager Murray let him know tires will not be.

#### ADJOURNMENT:

Motion to Adjourn- Supervisor Long

Second- Tardivo

Unanimous approval 7:35 PM

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Township Manager